

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Friday 09 Oct 2020 until 23:59 on Saturday 10 Oct 2020

Forecast Issued on Friday 09 Oct 2020 at 03:29 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High confidence in generally showery conditions.

Headline for Friday 09 Oct 2020: Sunshine and showers.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 09 Oct 2020

Blizzards

No Likelihood

Gales

Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms

No Likelihood

Heavy Snow

No Likelihood

Severe chill effect

Low Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain

No Likelihood

Storm force winds

No Likelihood

Poor visibility

Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight

No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
					
Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sleet showers	Sleet showers	Sunny intervals	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
20%	20%	40%	60%	20%	10%

Forecast for Friday 09 Oct 2020

Weather: A good deal of dry weather through the morning but turning increasingly showery during the afternoon. Chance of some sleet in showers above 900m. Turning drier again into the evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Generally high through the morning but some patchy low cloud around, decreasing during the afternoon with frequent showers. High through the evening.

Visibility: Moderate in showers, otherwise good at lower levels. Poor near highest summits in lingering low cloud.

Forecast for Friday 09 Oct 2020

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)				Wind Direction (blowing from)		
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	47/54 W	34/40 W	26/33 W	25/32 W	25/32 NW	26/33 NW	23/29 W
900	31/38 W	24/31 W	20/28 W	20/28 W	18/24 NW	16/23 NW	16/22 W
600	23/38 W	18/28 W	16/26 W	16/26 W	13/22 W	12/23 W	12/20 W
300	12/27 W	11/22 W	13/26 W	12/23 NW	7/17 W	9/22 NW	7/18 W
Glen	14/32 W	10/22 W	13/26 W	13/26 W	7/18 W	7/18 W	5/14 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	-2/-12	-2/-11	-1/-9	-1/-8	-2/-9	-2/-9	-1/-9
900	-0/-8	0/-7	2/-5	1/-5	0/-6	0/-6	0/-5
600	2/-4	3/-2	4/-1	4/-0	3/-2	2/-2	2/-2
300	4/0	6/3	8/5	7/4	5/2	4/1	4/1
Glen	6/1	7/4	9/5	8/5	6/3	5/2	4/2
Freezing Level*	800m	900m	900m	900m	900m	900m	900m

*Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View

Feeling very cold at height.

Forecast for Saturday 10 Oct 2020

Weather: Frequent showers throughout the day with some brighter breaks in the south. Showers easing into the evening.

Maximum wind: Northwesterly 25 gust 35 mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Low throughout the day in the north with low cloud associated with showers. Moderate or high in the south.

Visibility: Good in the south. Moderate in showers, poor near summits in the north.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 4 rising to plus 8 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 1 Celsius
Freezing level: 1200m